

THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

Since the election of James K. Polk to the office of President of the United States, the construction of this body becomes of more interest. We shall not presume, however, that the whole of those Senators, now called whigs will be found ready or willing to unite in a factious opposition to his administration; yet it is well enough to see how the matter stands, and how many there are whose known character and attachment to the democratic party is beyond dispute.

The following we find in the Journal of Commerce, one of the most reliable papers in the union:

"U. S. SENATE.—The uncertainties in regard to the political complexion of the U. S. Senate, after the 4th of March next are now brought within a narrow compass. The election of dem. Legislatures in Arkansas and New York, has settled the question that the U. S. Senators to be elected by them will be of the same politics. The case therefore stands thus:

Whigs.	Democrats.
Hold over, 16	18
New Senators already elected—	
Mississippi, 1	1
Connecticut, 1	1
Vermont, 1	1
Certain to be elected, from the political complexion of the Legislatures already chosen—	
Maine, 1	1
Massachusetts, 1	1
Rhode Island, 1	1
New York, 1	1
New Jersey, 1	1
Pennsylvania, 1	1
Maryland, 1	1
Ohio, 1	1
Indiana, 1	1
Tennessee, 1	1
Missouri, 1	1
Arkansas, 1	1
(vacancy) 1	
25	24

There is also a Senator to be elected in Virginia, whose Legislature nominally contains a Whig majority of two members; another in Delaware, and a third in Michigan. In the last mentioned State, the Whigs have not the least chance. Therefore, in order to retain a majority in the Senate, they must elect the Senator from Virginia, and the Senator from Delaware. As to the last, the result will be known in about a week. The Legislature upon whom the election of the U. S. Senator will devolve, is to be chosen on the 12th inst.

Unless the Whigs get both of these Senators, there will be in effect, a Democratic majority, as the Vice President of the United States is, ex-officio, President of the Senate, and has the casting vote."

From this it would seem that, on Virginia all depended for a majority. One thing is very clear, at all events, that even if Virginia should elect a Daniel Webster man, for he is to lead the New England cohorts in future, their majority will not be a reliable one. The nativists of Ohio will, no doubt, send Mr. Corwin to the Senate, as he is already spoken of as the Vice on the Webster ticket; but it is very questionable whether the whole of the opposition in the Senate can be made to play factiously into the hands of such a movement. In disbanding the whig party, as a whig party, and assuming the name of "American Republican"—the name the church-burning native federalists have already given it—we shall not believe that all the late whigs in or out of the U. S. Senate, will be found falling into their ranks. It is a party fit only for men whose prejudices are more preponderating than their brains, and must soon run the course of all other factions. Democrats will not burn their fingers with it, and many a whig will be found in the same category, while the whole of our adopted brethren will be driven, out of self defence, to cast their votes with the democrats.

But aside from all this, there is Iowa—the young, the gay bride of the west, who has just adopted her constitution, and will send two Senators to Washington, as soon as admitted, which will be before the meeting of the next Congress, in Dec. 1845. This will settle the question as to the political character of the Senate, without much doubt.—*Statesman.*

Who is HENRY CLAY?—He is the man who the Americans say must stay at home "where he belongs." Now, who is Roebuck? Here is the gentleman! Isn't he a beauty?



MARK OUR PREDICTION.—In another year, the Democracy will carry Ohio by a sweeping majority; and two years since, "Governor To," as the Roebucks call him, will be Governor indeed. The Federal coons needn't tickle their fancies with the belief that they are going to hold the reins of Government long in this State. Shannon beat Corwin in 1842, and Tod will beat Bartley or any other coon that will be put on the track in 1846. Let the coons cut this article out, and paste it up on their doors, if they think we are not the son of a prophet.

A SMART BOY—VERY.—About the smartest young Roebuck we know of is Bob Wilson, of the Steubenville Gazette. He has perpetrated the choicest morsel of wit we have stumbled upon in a coon sheet for a "coon's age." It is this: He admits that the nomination of Polk was a first rate joke; but unfortunately the coons carried the joke a little too far! Well done, Bob—you'll be a man before your nose yet!

Polk's House.—Maury county, Tennessee, gave James K. Polk a majority of 707 votes, which was a gain of 327 since 1843. Polk's neighbors know how to appreciate his many excellent public and private virtues.

DAY OF THANKSGIVING.—Governor Bartley of Ohio, has appointed Thursday, the 19th of December, as a day of Thanksgiving and Prayer.

WHERE IS BARCUM?—The Louisville Democrat states, that five ladies of "easy virtue," dressed in pantaloons, coat, hat and breeches, voted for Henry Clay, in the 2d ward of that city! Go it, petticoats!

The Moral Aspect of the Elections.

Apart from the mere political results of the late election there is one aspect in which they can be contemplated, which is full of interest to all those who are devoted to free institutions. We have seen, after several months of deep and pervading excitement, the populations of State after State record their opinions on questions of great importance, in perfect order and peace. A stranger looking upon the agitated state of our societies just before the election, might naturally have supposed that it would be impossible to work off so much fermentation without violence; but in a single day, by the process of depositing a little piece of printed paper in boxes, the excitation has passed away, and the millions of human beings that the day before seemed ready to devour each other with rage and prejudice, quietly resume their wonted occupations.

There is, in our view, a moral grandeur in this spectacle which has not been equalled in the history of the human race. That the whole of a mighty nation, after many weeks of earnest, and even bitter dispute, after their political and religious convictions have been vividly aroused by all kinds of appeals, from the press, the tribune, and the pulpit—the political destinies of many coming years, to say nothing of the immense pecuniary stakes hanging on the result—should this cheerfully submit to the ascertained majority of voices, manifests a devotion to public order, and a reliance upon the general intelligence, which are among the strongest testimonies that could be given to the beneficial influence of liberal forms of government. It greatly adds to the effect of this spectacle to consider that during all the great movements of the people, there has been no occasion for the interposition of military, and hardly of civil force.

Results of this kind justify the faith which the friends of democracy are ever disposed to place in the benefits of a gradual advancement of popular institutions.—*New York Evening Post.*

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Six months experience as publishers, has opened our eyes to this matter; and nothing but our promise to do so could have induced us to continue the fashions plates through the last volume. Now honesty compels us to throw them aside; and we do so without a moment's hesitation. In commencing the publication of this work, it was the express agreement among the parties concerned, that all mere pretension and boasting should be entirely avoided,—that above all things, no false statements should be made in prospectuses and advertisements. True to this principle of action, we can do so, without violating a promise ignorantly made. At least, the union between literature and fashion is an unbroken one; and certainly the office of unqualifiedness has not been found by us as the most dignified and agreeable.

In order, however, to gratify those of our lady readers who live remote from large cities, we shall probably give every three or four months a plate showing the latest fashions, as we have occasionally done; and this is about as often as any material changes do occur. Monthly plates of fashion are at best an absurdity. In these, we shall not pretend to give London and Paris fashions, except as they exist two months prior to the issue of the number of our Magazine containing the plate. Instead of wasting time and money on such matters, we will devote more attention, and expend more judiciously our means in higher order of embellishment, and upon the literary portion of our work; thus giving it an intrinsic and permanent excellence.

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TAX-PAYERS LOOK OUT!

FOR the information of the Tax-payers of Harrison County, I publish part of a section of the Legislature of Ohio, entitled, further to amend the act, defining the duties of County Treasurers, and for other purposes. The Treasurer shall be authorized and required, in all cases, when any persons, properly charged with taxes on real estate, has personal property within the county, to distrain the same for the payment of such tax."

Road receipts will be taken during the present month, and no percentage charged.
Z. BAYLESS,
Treasurer of Har. Co.
Nov. 20th 1844 St.

FOR SAILING UP-BALT RIVER.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs those indebted to the late firm of Thos. Hogg & Co., that he intends

SHORTLY TO LEAVE

for collection—all his notes, Book accounts &c. in the hands of his Attorney and Justice of the Peace to collect, as no further indulgence can be given—also his various notes are now due and must be attended to those wishing to be safe will do well to be up and a doing.

LIBERAL PRICES WILL BE GIVEN FOR

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For freight or passage or other particulars apply to the captain on board or at his old residence No. 92 Main street Cadiz.

Magistrate's Blanks for sale at this office.

EXHIBIT,

OF THE

Receipts & Expenditures

OF HARRISON COUNTY,

For the year commencing June 1st

1843, and ending June 1st, 1844.

County Fund.

RECEIPTS.

County Treasurer Dr.

To Cash transferred from old School Fund	371	50	5
Cash transferred from old Building Fund	655	00	0
C. Conaway Road Damages	116	00	0
Wm. Sharp in full of Note	5	30	0
John M. Mullin Fine	74	47	0
Solomon Little	21	97	0
T. C. Vincent, Esq. {Busby & others}	117	47	0
B. Gundy balance	37	00	0
G. Shaffer, Esq. "McDonough	4	00	0
J. Selby, Esq. "Poulson	1	00	0
Isaac Talbot, Esq. "Stewart	8	00	0
J. M. Brown, Esq. "Warton	6	00	0
T. Phillips, Esq. "Henry	5	00	0
A. Conaway, Esq. "D. Bell	4	12	5
A. Conaway, Esq. "G. Bell	5	00	0
H. Becket, Esq. "McKee	5	12	0
M. H. Phillips, Esq. "Bolton	1	00	0
J. Selby, Esq. "Clifford	8	54	0
N. Tannehill, Esq. "Sidle	7	50	0
R. M. Brown, Esq. "Shilt	5	00	0
R. P. Simpson, Esq. "Shilt	7	00	0
John Penn Note	15	39	0
A. Barrett forfeited Road Bond	6	00	0
Thos. Edie do do	18	00	0
John Bricker do do	2	00	0
James Edwards Tavern License	5	00	0
Wm. B. Delany do	6	26	0
John Summers do	5	00	0
Brandis Bethel do	5	21	0
Geo. B. Smith do	6	47	0
R. J. Edney do	5	00	0
Jane Evans do	5	00	0
Frederick Beckley do	5	63	0
Simson McMath do	6	05	0
David Arbaugh do	5	22	0
Thomas Walker do	5	00	0
M. F. Mallernee do	10	00	0
James McNutt Tavern permit	2	87	0
Gerge Wible Tavern License	2	00	0
James McNutt do	10	00	0
Joseph Brown do	5	00	0
Neri Longshore do	5	00	0
John Hilbert do	5	00	0
Peter Connor do	8	00	0
Garret Glasser do	5	00	0
Josiah Crawford do	5	00	0
G. W. Bleakmore do	2	00	0
Henry Wiesner do	5	00	0
Robert Stewart do	5	00	0
A. F. Croskey do	10	00	0
Moses Handley do	5	00	0
Henry Farmer do	5	00	0
John Lyle do	10	00	0
R. Holliday do	5	00	0
Henderson Simmons do	8	00	0
Timothy Titus do	2	00	0
R. T. Thompson do	5	42	0
Edward Higgs do	8	56	0
William Clark do	5	00	0
Adam Quillin do	8	06	0
Jacob Sawville do	5	00	0
William Welsh do	5	00	0
J. M. Gandy do	2	00	0
J. M. Mallernee do	10	00	0
John Cummins do	2	00	0
David McMath do	5	00	0
Sam'l Thompson Steed-horse License	5	00	0
Hiram Palmer do	5	00	0
M. Salisbury do	5	00	0
Robert Dean do	5	00	0
A. McCullough do	5	00	0
John D. Galbreath do	5	00	0
Ezekiel Wheeler do	5	00	0
Frederick Brandt do	5	00	0
Augustus Porter do	5	00	0
Sammes Cannon do	5	00	0
Samuel Thompson do	5	00	0
C. Anderson do	5	00	0
John Merrill do	5	00	0
Henry Bricker do	5	00	0
N. Tannehill do	5	00	0
David Frazer do	5	00	0
Charles Conaway do	5	00	0
David Braden do	5	00	0
Jesse Alexander do	5	00	0
Samuel Campbell do	5	00	0
Samuel McFadden do	5	00	0
James Maholin do	5	00	0
Robert A. Moore do	5	00	0
James Haslett do	5	00	0
John Easterday do	5	00	0
Thomas M. Elvain do	5	00	0
Samuel Kerr do	5	00	0
Samuel Morgan do	5	00	0
John W. Arnold do	5	00	0
John Booth do	5	00	0
Bidwin Barrett do	5	00	0
Michael Salisbury do	5	00	0
John Dadds do	5	00	0
Joshua P. Watson do	5	00	0
John S. Hoelling do	5	00	0
John Davis do	5	00	0
John W. Arnold do	5	00	0
James W. Beebe store permit	10	50	0
Burch & Moore do	12	50	0
D. B. Atkinson & Co. do	5	00	0
Cash collected on Duplicate	3438	08	6
Delinquencies of 1842	110	20	3
School District Delinquent Tax	7	43	0
Cash collected on Notes and Forfeited Bonds	201	54	0
Total Receipts	\$5706	49	9

County Fund.

EXPENDITURES.

County Treasurer Cr.

By Cash due Treasurer on settlement	947	80	7
Township Assessors	105	03	0
Road Damages	254	25	0
William Barrett Sheriff fees boarding, State and Insane cases, and allowance by Court	416	19	0
T. C. Vincent Clerk fees, State & Insane cases, and allowance by Court	132	28	5
Stationery, Blank Books and Light for Public Offices	181	55	9
John Sharp Auditor fees	709	29	5
Commissioners fees	134	00	0
Road Viewers	26	04	0
Surveying Roads	15	00	0
Chaining and Marking Roads	22	55	0
Justices of the Peace in State cases	22	44	7
Constable and Guard fees in State cases	65	30	0
Witness fees in State cases	232	88	0
Jury fees	401	83	0
Associate Judges	300	75	0

Total Expenditures \$5706 49 9

Tax refunded—property wrong sold 65 70 5

Repairs and fixtures Court House and Public Offices 40 82 2

Repairs and fixtures for Jail 54 50 0

T. C. Vincent Index Judicial Records Court Common Pleas 250 00 0

Wm. Tingley Index Judicial Records Supreme Court 11 30 0

Constables attending on Court 38 00 0

Prosecuting Attorney fees 230 13 0

S. W. Bortwick, allowance by Commissioners, for examining Official Bonds 25 00 0

S. W. Bortwick, allowance by Court, 10 00 0

Ballot Box for North township Treasurer for recording Official Bonds 5 75 0

Coroner fees 5 65 0

Justices for assisting to open poll books 6 75 0

Wm. Cady, late Sheriff fees State case 8 85 0

Tavern License refunded 8 00 0

M. F. Mallernee boarding Jury, State vs. Ady 10 00 0

R. Given timber cut by supervisor 1 50 0

J. Graham criminal doquet 213 00 0

Public Printing 12 00 0

Medical attendance on insane cases 50 19 8

Coal for Jail, Court House and Offices 40 50 0

Township Clerks returning enumeration of youth 7 61 5

Township Trustees returning Poll Books 108 12 0

Treasurer's per centage on duplicate 100 94 7

Treasurer's per centage on miscellaneous funds 46 23 5

Allowance by Commissioners to Treasurer for extra services 20 00 0

Counterfeit money 370 47 4

Amount in Treasury \$5706 49 9

Total expenditures

Poor Fund.

County Treasurer Dr.

Balance in Treasury June 7th, 1843	257	58	4
Cash collected on duplicate of 1843	609	41	1
Total	\$866	99	5

County Treasurer Cr.

Cash paid for removing Paupers to Poor House 81 75 0

Out door Paupers 154 76 0

Store Goods for Poor House 181 62 7

Provisions 73 27 5

Physicians 38 83 0

Superintendent 150 00 0

Directors 25 20 0

Shoe-Making 4 35 0

Coal 5 81 0

Smith work 9 00 0

Digging graves 75 00 0

Burials 75 00 0

Treasurer's per centage 17 37 7

Amount in Treasury 72 54 6